House Resolution No. 4351

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators who have admirably dedicated a significant portion of their time and energy to helping students in extracurricular study programs which take place after regular school hours; and

Whereas, Sherry Comer of the Camdenton R-III School District has attained considerable distinction for her highly successful efforts as an Afterschool Alliance Afterschool Ambassador, a leadership position which she will hold for a second term during the 2003-2004 school year; and

Whereas, one of twenty-five Afterschool Ambassadors from across the nation, Sherry Comer is one of only seven experienced Afterschool Ambassadors who have been selected by the Afterschool Alliance to reprise their work for a second year; and

Whereas, in her role as an Afterschool Ambassador, Sherry Comer will be responsible for communicating with policy makers, building community support for afterschool programs, and planning a major event for the annual Lights On Afterschool! nationwide rally; and

Whereas, Sherry Comer and her strong leadership practices and abilities have been credited as the driving force for the success of Camdenton R-III School District afterschool programs which provide additional help for students in their ever-important studies; and

Whereas, through such programs as Partners Assisting Student Success (PASS), Sherry Comer helps students and their families to gain the skills, resources, and support necessary for success in school as well as in lifetime skills, in collaboration with community agencies, support groups, businesses, clubs, and community members; and

Whereas, the Afterschool Alliance is a nonprofit public awareness and advocacy organization supported by a group of public, private, and nonprofit entities which are dedicated to ensuring that all children and youth will have access to afterschool programs by the year 2010:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Sherry Comer for a second term as an Afterschool Ambassador by the Afterschool Alliance and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest best wishes for another successful Lights on Afterschool! program on October 9, 2003; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Sherry Comer of the Camdenton R-III School District.

Offered b	oy
	Representative Wayne Cooper, M.D.
	District No. 155
	Representative Danie Moore

District No. 20

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4351, adopted October 7, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker